

Brian Okafor

Echo Technologist

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SUMMARY

Echo technologist with 3 years of hospital echocardiography after 2 years as an EKG technician, registered RDCS (AE). Performs 10 to 12 transthoracic echoes a shift, applies cardiac anatomy, physiology and pathology knowledge to every measurement and explains each exam clearly with strong interpersonal skills.

SKILLS

- Echocardiography
- Cardiac Sonography
- Cardiac Anatomy
- Physiology
- Pathology
- Spectral Doppler
- Ultrasound Equipment
- 12-Lead EKG
- Holter Monitoring
- Interpersonal Skills

EXPERIENCE

Echo Technologist

07/2023 - Present

Cumberland Heart Hospital

Nashville, TN

Heart hospital echo lab with 12 sonographers serving inpatients and outpatients.

- Perform **10** to 12 adult transthoracic echoes a shift with 2D, color and spectral Doppler and strain imaging.
- Conduct 3 to 4 portable ICU and ER echoes a shift, adjusting windows for ventilated and post-op patients.
- Document valve pathology, chamber sizes and ejection fraction, with 98% of studies passing peer review in 2025.
- Maintain ultrasound equipment and TEE probes, disinfecting each after every case per the lab's infection control policy.

EKG Technician (Part-Time)

06/2021 - 06/2023

Music City Cardiology Associates

Nashville, TN

Outpatient cardiology practice; part-time role during sonography school.

- Recorded 30 12-lead EKG tracings a day and flagged abnormal rhythms to the cardiologist on duty.
- Applied Holter and event monitors for 15 patients a week and taught patients how to log symptoms.
- Coordinated 40 echo and stress test appointments a week in the practice EHR, confirming orders and insurance.
- Supplied 4 exam rooms with electrodes and paper, checking EKG carts before each clinic day.

Patient Transporter

08/2019 - 05/2021

Belle Meade General Hospital

Nashville, TN

400-bed hospital transport team.

- Handled 35 patient transports a shift between units, imaging and the cath lab.
- Verified patient identity with two identifiers before every move, with no wrong-patient events in 2 years.
- Responded to STAT requests from the ER and cardiac units within 10 minutes.

EDUCATION

Associate of Applied Science

05/2023

Volunteer State Community College

Gallatin, TN

Diagnostic Medical Sonography - Echocardiography

CERTIFICATES

Registered Diagnostic Cardiac Sonographer (RDCS) - Adult Echocardiography

American Registry for Diagnostic Medical Sonography (ARDMS)

09/2023

Basic Life Support (BLS) Provider

American Heart Association

04/2026